

Agency 45 - Board Of Barber Examiners

Statutory Authority:

The Board of Barber Examiners was established in 1927 as set forth in Sections 71-225 and 71-228 of the Revised State Statutes of Nebraska. The agency's rules and regulations are on file with the Secretary of State.

Vision Statement:

Our vision is to provide competent practitioners and through the exercise of our administrative powers, provide the public with a healthy and safe shop and school environment.

Mission Statement:

Our mission is to develop and approve barber school curriculum, post-secondary educational requirements for barber instructors, examine and provide for the licensing of barbers and barber instructors, to enforce the sanitary rules regulating barber shops and schools and to investigate and resolve consumer complaints. Occupational licensing is the use of the state's power to protect the public's health, safety and welfare by controlling the activities of persons engaged in various professions, trades and services. We recognize that this is an awesome power which must be judiciously exercised with maximum public input and with due consideration for the impact of licensing on the public at large. The agency's responsibilities, in part, are to provide Board members with the necessary support to be responsive and effective in promoting and protecting the public's health, safety and welfare.

Goals:

The progressing development of a written and practical licensing examination for barbers that will ensure the standards required by Nebraska and our profession are met. The Board evolving process of the rules and regulations provide for a contemporary barber school curriculum. To meet technology objectives by providing technology maintenance, replacement and educational experiences.

Financial Data:

	Actual FY06	Approp FY07	Request FY08	Recom FY08	Request FY09	Recom FY09
General Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cash Fund	112,188	139,097	133,352	137,003	135,089	142,505
Federal Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Revolving Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Fund	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Agency	112,188	139,097	133,352	137,003	135,089	142,505

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Program 080 - Enforcement Of Standards Of Barbering

Program Objectives:

The Board conducted a performance survey to identify personnel, activities and provided the licensee an opportunity to express their opinions. Also, the survey helped us determine how well we are doing our job and improve the delivery of our services. Objective: to ensure compliance with sanitation standards and provide the public with a healthy and safe shop and school environment. Action taken: inspections conducted once each year. A job analysis survey was conducted to determine if entry level barbers are adequately prepared in terms of their knowledge and skills. The purpose of the survey was to identify if changes in curriculum and examination requirements were needed. Results also helped us identify how current requirements compare to everyday job responsibilities and tasks.

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Performance Measures:

The two survey's were designed to assist the Board in identifying personnel and their activities, it also compared current requirements to everyday job responsibilities and tasks of the examinee/licensee. Additionally, the survey identified if changes in curriculum and examination requirements were appropriate and thus enhance the quality of the educational experience. The second survey provides the examinee/licensee an opportunity to express their opinion concerning the agencies delivery of our services.